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## Some Results Concerning to Polar Derivative of Polynomials

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**Abstract.** Let  $P(z)$  be a polynomial of degree  $n$  and for a complex number  $\alpha$ , let  $D_\alpha P(z) = nP(z) + (\alpha - z)P'(z)$  denote the polar derivative of the polynomial  $P(z)$  with respect to  $\alpha$ .

In this paper we establish some  $L_r$  inequalities for the polar derivative of a polynomial with restricted zeros. Our results not only generalizes some known polynomial inequalities, but also a variety of interesting results can be deduced from these by a fairly uniform procedure.

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## Introduction

Let  $P(z)$  be a polynomial of degree  $n$  and  $P'(z)$  its derivative. It was shown by Turan [16] that if  $P(z)$  has all its zeros in  $|z| \leq 1$ , then

$$\max_{|z|=1} |P'(z)| \geq \frac{n}{2} \max_{|z|=1} |P(z)|. \quad (1)$$

More generally, if  $P(z)$  has all its zeros in  $|z| \leq k \leq 1$ , it was proved by Malik [11] that (1) can be replaced by

$$\max_{|z|=1} |P'(z)| \geq \frac{n}{1+k} \max_{|z|=1} |P(z)|, \quad (2)$$

whereas Govil [8] proved that if  $P(z)$  has all its zeros in  $|z| \leq k$ , where  $k \geq 1$ , then

$$\max_{|z|=1} |P'(z)| \geq \frac{n}{1+k^n} \max_{|z|=1} |P(z)|. \quad (3)$$

As an improvement of (3), Govil [9] proved that if  $P(z)$  has all its zeros in  $|z| \leq k$ , where  $k \geq 1$ , then

$$\max_{|z|=1} |P'(z)| \geq \frac{n}{1+k^n} \left\{ \max_{|z|=1} |P(z)| + \min_{|z|=k} |P(z)| \right\}. \quad (4)$$

Again for the class of polynomials  $P(z) = a_n z^n + \sum_{j=\mu}^n a_{n-j} z^{n-j}$ ,  $1 \leq \mu \leq n$  of degree  $n$  having all its zeros in  $|z| \leq k$ ,  $k \leq 1$ , Aziz and Shah [5] proved

$$\max_{|z|=1} |P'(z)| \geq \frac{n}{1+k^\mu} \left\{ \max_{|z|=1} |P(z)| + \frac{1}{k^{n-\mu}} \min_{|z|=k} |P(z)| \right\}. \quad (5)$$

For  $\mu = 1$ , inequality (5) reduces to an inequality due to Govil [9].

We define  $D_\alpha P(z)$ , the polar derivative of the polynomial  $P(z)$  of degree  $n$  with respect to a complex number  $\alpha$  by

$$D_\alpha P(z) = nP(z) + (\alpha - z)P'(z). \quad (6)$$

It is easy to see that the polynomial  $D_\alpha P(z)$  is of degree atmost  $n - 1$  and it generalizes the ordinary derivative in the sense that

$$\lim_{\alpha \rightarrow \infty} \frac{D_\alpha P(z)}{\alpha} = P'(z). \quad (7)$$

Shah [14] extended (1) to the polar derivative of  $P(z)$  and proved:

**Theorem 1.** *If all the zeros of  $n$ th degree polynomial  $P(z)$  lie in  $|z| \leq 1$ , then*

$$\max_{|z|=1} |D_\alpha P(z)| \geq \frac{n}{2} (|\alpha| - 1) \max_{|z|=1} |P(z)|, \quad |\alpha| \geq 1. \quad (8)$$

*The result is best possible and equality in (8) holds for  $P(z) = \left(\frac{z-1}{2}\right)^n$ .*

Aziz and Rather [3] generalized (8) which also extends (2) to the polar derivative of a polynomial. In fact, they proved.

**Theorem 2.** *If  $P(z)$  is a polynomial of degree  $n$  having all its zeros in  $|z| \leq k$ , where  $k \leq 1$ , then for every real or complex number  $\alpha$  with  $|\alpha| \geq k$ ,*

$$\max_{|z|=1} |D_\alpha P(z)| \geq n \left( \frac{|\alpha| - k}{1+k} \right) \max_{|z|=1} |P(z)| \quad (9)$$

*The result is best possible and equality in (9) holds for  $P(z) = (z - k)^n$  with  $\alpha \geq k$ .*

Further, as a generalization of (3) to the polar derivative of a polynomial, Aziz and Rather [3] proved the following:

**Theorem 3.** *If  $P(z)$  is a polynomial of degree  $n$  having all its zeros in  $|z| \leq k$ , where  $k \geq 1$ , then for every real or complex number  $\alpha$  with  $|\alpha| \geq k$ ,*

$$\max_{|z|=1} |D_\alpha P(z)| \geq n \left( \frac{|\alpha| - k}{1 + k^n} \right) \max_{|z|=1} |P(z)|. \quad (10)$$

In the same paper, Aziz and Rather [3] proved the following improvement of inequality (8):

**Theorem 4.** *If  $P(z)$  is a polynomial of degree  $n$  having all its zeros in  $|z| \leq 1$ , then for every real or complex number  $\alpha$  with  $|\alpha| \geq 1$ ,*

$$\max_{|z|=1} |D_\alpha P(z)| \geq \frac{n}{2} \left\{ (|\alpha| - 1) \max_{|z|=1} |P(z)| + (|\alpha| + 1) \min_{|z|=1} |P(z)| \right\} \quad (11)$$

*The result is best possible and equality in (11) holds for  $P(z) = (z - 1)^n$  with  $\alpha \geq 1$ .*

On the other hand Malik [12] obtained an  $L_r$  analogue of (1) by proving that if  $P(z)$  has all its zeros in  $|z| \leq 1$ , then for each  $r > 0$ ,

$$n \left\{ \int_0^{2\pi} |P(e^{i\theta})|^r d\theta \right\}^{\frac{1}{r}} \leq \left\{ \int_0^{2\pi} |1 + e^{i\theta}|^r d\theta \right\}^{\frac{1}{r}} \max_{|z|=1} |P'(z)|. \quad (12)$$

As an extension of (12) and a generalization of (2), Aziz [1] proved that if  $P(z)$  has all its zeros in  $|z| \leq k \leq 1$ , then for each  $r > 0$ ,

$$n \left\{ \int_0^{2\pi} |P(e^{i\theta})|^r d\theta \right\}^{\frac{1}{r}} \leq \left\{ \int_0^{2\pi} |1 + ke^{i\theta}|^r d\theta \right\}^{\frac{1}{r}} \max_{|z|=1} |P'(z)|. \quad (13)$$

If we let  $r \rightarrow \infty$  in (12) and (13) and make use of the well known fact from analysis (see example [13, p.73] or [15, p.91]) that

$$\left\{ \int_0^{2\pi} |P(e^{i\theta})|^r d\theta \right\}^{\frac{1}{r}} \rightarrow \max_{0 \leq \theta < 2\pi} |P(e^{i\theta})| \text{ as } r \rightarrow \infty, \quad (14)$$

we get inequalities (1) and (2) respectively.

Recently, Dewan et. al. [6] obtained the following result for the polar derivative of polynomials which generalizes inequalities (9) and (13). In fact they proved:

**Theorem 5.** *If  $P(z)$  is a polynomial of degree  $n$  having all its zeros in  $|z| \leq k$ , where  $k \leq 1$ , then for every real or complex number  $\alpha$  with  $|\alpha| \geq k$  and for each  $r > 0$ ,*

$$n(|\alpha| - k) \left\{ \int_0^{2\pi} |P(e^{i\theta})|^r d\theta \right\}^{\frac{1}{r}} \leq \left\{ \int_0^{2\pi} |1 + ke^{i\theta}|^r d\theta \right\}^{\frac{1}{r}} \max_{|z|=1} |D_\alpha P(z)|. \quad (15)$$

In the limiting case, when  $r \rightarrow \infty$ , the above inequality is sharp and equality holds for the polynomial  $P(z) = (z - k)^n$  with  $\alpha \geq k$ .

If we divide both the sides of inequality (15) by  $|\alpha|$  and let  $|\alpha| \rightarrow \infty$ , we get inequality (13). If we let  $r \rightarrow \infty$ , in (15), we get inequality (9).

## 1 Main Results

In this paper, we will obtain some  $L_r$  inequalities for the polar derivative of a polynomial which generalize the inequalities (8), (9) and (15) in particular. More precisely, we prove the following theorem:

**Theorem 6.** *If  $P(z) = a_n z^n + \sum_{j=\mu}^n a_{n-j} z^{n-j}$ ,  $1 \leq \mu \leq n$  is a polynomial of degree  $n$  having all its zeros in  $|z| \leq k$ , where  $k \leq 1$ , then for every real or complex number  $\alpha$  with  $|\alpha| \geq k$  and for each  $r > 0, p > 1, q > 1$  with  $1/p + 1/q = 1$ , we have*

$$n(|\alpha| - S_\mu) \left\{ \int_0^{2\pi} |P(e^{i\theta})|^r d\theta \right\}^{\frac{1}{r}} \leq \left\{ \int_0^{2\pi} |1 + S_\mu e^{i\theta}|^{pr} d\theta \right\}^{\frac{1}{pr}} \left\{ \int_0^{2\pi} |D_\alpha P(e^{i\theta})|^{qr} d\theta \right\}^{\frac{1}{qr}} \quad (16)$$

where

$$S_\mu = \left\{ \frac{n|a_n|k^{2\mu} + \mu|a_{n-\mu}|k^{\mu-1}}{n|a_n|k^{\mu-1} + \mu|a_{n-\mu}|} \right\} \quad (17)$$

and

$$\frac{\mu}{n} \left| \frac{a_{n-\mu}}{a_n} \right| \leq k^\mu. \quad (18)$$

**Remark 1.** Since  $S_\mu \leq k^\mu \leq k$ ,  $1 \leq \mu \leq n$  it follows from above theorem that

$$\begin{aligned} n(|\alpha| - k^\mu) \left\{ \int_0^{2\pi} |P(e^{i\theta})|^r d\theta \right\}^{\frac{1}{r}} \\ \leq \left\{ \int_0^{2\pi} |1 + k^\mu e^{i\theta}|^{pr} d\theta \right\}^{\frac{1}{pr}} \left\{ \int_0^{2\pi} |D_\alpha P(e^{i\theta})|^{qr} d\theta \right\}^{\frac{1}{qr}} \end{aligned} \quad (19)$$

For  $\mu = 1$ , we get a generalization of inequality (15) in the sense that  $\max_{|z|=1} |D_\alpha P(z)|$  on the right hand side of (15) is replaced by a factor involving the integral mean of  $|D_\alpha P(z)|$  on  $|z| = 1$ .

Instead of proving inequality (16), we prove the following more general result:

**Theorem 7.** *If  $P(z) = a_n z^n + \sum_{j=\mu}^n a_{n-j} z^{n-j}$ ,  $1 \leq \mu \leq n$  is a polynomial of degree  $n$  having all its zeros in  $|z| \leq k$ , where  $k \leq 1$  and  $m := \min_{|z|=k} |P(z)|$ , then for every real or complex number  $\alpha, \beta$  with  $|\alpha| \geq k$ ,  $|\beta| < 1$  and for each  $r > 0, p > 1, q > 1$  with  $1/p + 1/q = 1$ , we have*

$$\begin{aligned} & n(|\alpha| - A_\mu) \left\{ \int_0^{2\pi} |P(e^{i\theta}) - \frac{m\beta e^{i\theta}}{k^n}|^r d\theta \right\}^{\frac{1}{r}} \\ & \leq \left\{ \int_0^{2\pi} |1 + A_\mu e^{i\theta}|^{pr} d\theta \right\}^{\frac{1}{pr}} \left\{ \int_0^{2\pi} |D_\alpha P(e^{i\theta}) - \frac{mn\alpha\beta e^{i(n-1)\theta}}{k^n}|^{qr} d\theta \right\}^{\frac{1}{qr}} \end{aligned} \quad (20)$$

where

$$A_\mu = \left\{ \frac{n \left| a_n - \frac{m\beta}{k^n} \right| k^{2\mu} + \mu |a_{n-\mu}| k^{\mu-1}}{n \left| a_n - \frac{m\beta}{k^n} \right| k^{\mu-1} + \mu |a_{n-\mu}|} \right\}. \quad (21)$$

Finally, we present the  $L_r$  analogue of inequalities (8) and (9) by using the location of zeros of  $P(z)$ . We prove:

**Theorem 8.** *If  $P(z) = \prod_{j=0}^n (z - z_j)$  is a polynomial of degree  $n$  such that  $|z_j| \leq k_j \leq 1$ ,  $1 \leq j \leq n$ , then for every real or complex number  $\alpha$  with  $|\alpha| \geq t_0$  and for each  $r > 0, p > 1, q > 1$  with  $1/p + 1/q = 1$ , we have*

$$n(|\alpha| - t_0) \left\{ \int_0^{2\pi} |P(e^{i\theta})|^r d\theta \right\}^{\frac{1}{r}} \leq \left\{ \int_0^{2\pi} |1 + t_0 e^{i\theta}|^{pr} d\theta \right\}^{\frac{1}{pr}} \left\{ \int_0^{2\pi} |D_\alpha P(e^{i\theta})|^{qr} d\theta \right\}^{\frac{1}{qr}} \quad (22)$$

where

$$t_0 = 1 - \frac{n}{\sum_{j=1}^n \left( \frac{1}{1-k_j} \right)}. \quad (23)$$

**Remark 2.** If we let  $q \rightarrow \infty, r \rightarrow \infty$  so that  $p \rightarrow 1$ , in inequality (22), we get

$$\max_{|z|=1} |D_\alpha P(z)| \geq n \left( \frac{|\alpha| - t_0}{1 + t_0} \right) \max_{|z|=1} |P(z)|, \quad (24)$$

where  $t_0$  is defined by (23). The result is best possible and equality in (24) holds for  $P(z) = (z - k)^n$  where  $\alpha \geq k$ .

**Remark 3.** It can be easily seen that inequality (24) includes as special cases inequality (8) when  $k_j = 1$  for  $1 \leq j \leq n$  and inequality (9) when  $k_j = k$  for  $1 \leq j \leq n$ .

**Remark 4.** Dividing the two sides of (24) by  $|\alpha|$ , letting  $|\alpha| \rightarrow \infty$  and noting (7), we get

$$\max_{|z|=1} |P'(z)| \geq \frac{n}{1+t_0} \max_{|z|=1} |P(z)|. \quad (25)$$

By putting the value of  $t_0$  in (25) and after simplification, we get

$$\max_{|z|=1} |P'(z)| \geq \frac{n}{2} \left\{ 1 + \frac{1}{1 + \frac{2}{n} \sum_{j=1}^n \frac{k_j}{1-k_j}} \right\} \max_{|z|=1} |P(z)| \quad (26)$$

The above inequality was proved by Aziz and Ahmad [2].

## 2 Lemmas

For the proofs of these Theorems we need the following Lemmas.

**Lemma 1.** *If  $P(z)$  has all its zeros in  $|z| \leq k$  where  $k \leq 1$  and  $Q(z) = z^n \overline{P(\frac{1}{\bar{z}})}$ , then*

$$|Q'(z)| \leq S_\mu |P'(z)| \quad \text{for } |z| = 1, \quad (27)$$

where  $S_\mu$  is defined by (18).

The above lemma is due to Aziz and Rather [4].

**Lemma 2.** *If  $P(z) = \prod_{j=1}^n (z - z_j)$  is a polynomial of degree  $n$  with  $|z_j| \geq k_j \geq 1$ ,  $1 \leq j \leq n$ , then for  $|z| = 1$ ,*

$$\left| \frac{q'(z)}{P'(z)} \right| \geq 1 + \frac{n}{\sum_{j=1}^n \left( \frac{1}{k_j - 1} \right)} \quad (28)$$

where  $q(z) = z^n \overline{P(1/\bar{z})}$ .

This Lemma is due to Gardner and Govil [7].

## 3 Proof of the Theorems

**PROOF OF THEOREM** If  $P(z)$  has a zero on  $|z| = k$ , then  $\min_{|z|=k} |P(z)| = 0$  and the result follows from inequality (16) in this case. Hence, we suppose that all the zeros of  $P(z)$  lie in  $|z| < k$  where  $k \leq 1$ , so that  $m > 0$ . Now  $m \leq |P(z)|$  for  $|z| = k$ , therefore, if  $\beta$  is any real or complex number such

that  $|\beta| < 1$ , then  $\left| \frac{m\beta z^n}{k^n} \right| < |P(z)|$  for  $|z| = k$ . Since all the zeros of  $P(z)$  lie in  $|z| < k$ , it follows by Rouché's theorem, that all the zeros of  $F(z) = P(z) - \frac{m\beta z^n}{k^n}$  also lie in  $|z| < k$ . If  $G(z) = z^n \overline{F(\frac{1}{\bar{z}})} = Q(z) - \frac{m\bar{\beta}}{k^n}$  then it can be easily verified that for  $|z| = 1$ ,

$$|F'(z)| = |nG(z) - zG'(z)|. \quad (29)$$

As  $F(z)$  has all its zeros in  $|z| < k \leq 1$ , the inequality (27) in conjunction with inequality (29), gives,

$$|G'(z)| \leq A_\mu |nG(z) - zG'(z)| \quad \text{for } |z| = 1, \quad (30)$$

where  $A_\mu$  is defined in (21).

Now for every real or complex number  $\alpha$  with  $|\alpha| \geq k$ , we have

$$|D_\alpha F(z)| = |nF(z) + (\alpha - z)F'(z)| \quad (31)$$

$$\geq |\alpha| |F'(z)| - |nF(z) - zF'(z)| \quad (32)$$

which gives by interchanging the roles of  $F(z)$  and  $G(z)$  in (29) for  $|z| = 1$  that

$$|D_\alpha F(z)| \geq |\alpha| |F'(z)| - |G'(z)| \quad (33)$$

$$\geq (|\alpha| - A_\mu) |F'(z)| \quad (34)$$

$$\left| D_\alpha P(z) - \frac{nm\alpha\beta z^n}{k^n} \right| \geq (|\alpha| - A_\mu) \left| P'(z) - \frac{mn\beta z^{n-1}}{k^n} \right| \quad (35)$$

Again since  $F(z)$  has all its zeros in  $|z| \leq k \leq 1$ , therefore by Gauss-Lucas theorem all the zeros of the polynomial  $F'(z) = P'(z) - \frac{mn\beta z^{n-1}}{k^n}$  lie in  $|z| < k \leq 1$ . Therefore the polynomial  $z^{n-1} \overline{F'(\frac{1}{\bar{z}})} = nG(z) - zG'(z)$  has all its zeros in  $|z| > \frac{1}{k} \geq 1$ . Hence it follows that the function

$$W(z) = \frac{zG'(z)}{A_\mu \{nG(z) - zG'(z)\}} \quad (36)$$

is analytic for  $|z| \leq 1$ ,  $|W(z)| \leq 1$  for  $|z| = 1$  and  $W(0) = 0$ . Thus the function  $1 + A_\mu W(z)$  is subordinate to the function  $1 + A_\mu z$  for  $|z| \leq 1$ . By a well known property of subordination [10, P.422], we have for each  $r > 0$ ,

$$\int_0^{2\pi} |1 + A_\mu W(e^{i\theta})|^q d\theta \leq \int_0^{2\pi} |1 + A_\mu e^{i\theta}|^q d\theta. \quad (37)$$

Now by (36), we have

$$|1 + A_\mu W(z)| = \left| \frac{nG(z)}{nG(z) - zG'(z)} \right| \quad (38)$$

$$= \frac{n|G(z)|}{\left| P'(z) - \frac{mn\beta z^{n-1}}{k^n} \right|} \quad (39)$$

$$= \frac{n|F(z)|}{\left| P'(z) - \frac{mn\beta z^{n-1}}{k^n} \right|} \quad (40)$$

$$= \frac{n \left| P(z) - \frac{m\beta z^n}{k^n} \right|}{\left| P'(z) - \frac{mn\beta z^{n-1}}{k^n} \right|}. \quad (41)$$

From (35),(37) and (41), we deduce that for each  $r > 0$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} n^r (|\alpha| - A_\mu)^r & \left\{ \int_0^{2\pi} \left| P(e^{i\theta}) - \frac{m\beta e^{in\theta}}{k^n} \right|^r d\theta \right\} \\ & \leq \left\{ \int_0^{2\pi} |1 + A_\mu e^{i\theta}|^r \int_0^{2\pi} \left| D_\alpha P(e^{i\theta}) - \frac{mn\alpha\beta e^{i(n-1)\theta}}{k^n} \right|^r d\theta \right\}. \quad (42) \end{aligned}$$

Now applying Holder's inequality for  $p > 1$ ,  $q > 1$  with  $1/p + 1/q = 1$ , we get

$$\begin{aligned} n (|\alpha| - A_\mu) & \left\{ \int_0^{2\pi} \left| P(e^{i\theta}) - \frac{m\beta e^{in\theta}}{k^n} \right|^r d\theta \right\}^{\frac{1}{r}} \\ & \leq \left\{ \int_0^{2\pi} |1 + A_\mu e^{i\theta}|^{pr} d\theta \right\}^{\frac{1}{pr}} \left\{ \int_0^{2\pi} \left| D_\alpha P(e^{i\theta}) - \frac{mn\alpha\beta e^{i(n-1)\theta}}{k^n} \right|^{qr} d\theta \right\}^{\frac{1}{qr}} \quad (43) \end{aligned}$$

and this completes the proof of inequality (20).

**PROOF OF THEOREM** Let  $q(z) = z^n \overline{P(1/\bar{z})}$ , then for  $|z| = 1$ , we have

$$|q'(z)| = |nP(z) - zP'(z)| \quad (44)$$



Also we have  $|z_j| \leq k_j \leq 1, 1 \leq j \leq n$ , therefore,  $\frac{1}{|z_j|} \geq \frac{1}{k_j} \geq 1, 1 \leq j \leq n$ , and hence by inequality (28), for  $|z| = 1$ ,

$$\left| \frac{P'(z)}{q'(z)} \right| \geq 1 + \frac{n}{\sum_{j=1}^n \left( \frac{k_j}{1-k_j} \right)} \quad (45)$$

$$= \frac{\sum_{j=1}^n \left( \frac{k_j}{1-k_j} + 1 \right)}{\sum_{j=1}^n \left( \frac{k_j}{1-k_j} \right)} \quad (46)$$

$$= \frac{\sum_{j=1}^n \left( \frac{1}{1-k_j} \right)}{\sum_{j=1}^n \left( \frac{k_j}{1-k_j} \right)} \quad (47)$$

which gives for  $|z| = 1$ ,

$$\left| \frac{q'(z)}{P'(z)} \right| \leq \frac{\sum_{j=1}^n \left( \frac{k_j}{1-k_j} \right)}{\sum_{j=1}^n \left( \frac{1}{1-k_j} \right)} \quad (48)$$

$$= \frac{\sum_{j=1}^n \left( \frac{1}{1-k_j} - 1 \right)}{\sum_{j=1}^n \left( \frac{1}{1-k_j} \right)} \quad (49)$$

$$= 1 - \frac{n}{\sum_{j=1}^n \left( \frac{1}{1-k_j} \right)} = t_0. \quad (50)$$

Hence for  $|z| = 1$ ,

$$|q'(z)| \leq t_0 |P'(z)|. \quad (51)$$

Now for every real or complex number  $\alpha$  with  $|\alpha| \geq t_0$ , we have

$$|D_\alpha P(z)| = |nP(z) + (\alpha - z)P'(z)| \quad (52)$$

$$\geq |\alpha| |P'(z)| - |nP(z) - zP'(z)| \quad (53)$$

which implies by (44) and (51) for  $|z| = 1$

$$|D_\alpha P(z)| \geq |\alpha| |P'(z)| - t_0 |P'(z)| \quad (54)$$

$$= (|\alpha| - t_0) |P'(z)| \quad (55)$$

Again since  $P(z)$  has all its zeros in  $|z| \leq k \leq 1$ , therefore by Gauss-Lucas theorem all the zeros of the polynomial  $P'(z)$  lie in  $|z| < k \leq 1$ . Therefore the polynomial  $z^{n-1}\overline{P'(\frac{1}{\bar{z}})} = nQ(z) - zQ'(z)$  has all its zeros in  $|z| > \frac{1}{k} \geq 1$ . Hence it follows that the function

$$W(z) = \frac{zQ'(z)}{t_0\{nQ(z) - zQ'(z)\}} \quad (56)$$

is analytic for  $|z| \leq 1$ ,  $|W(z)| \leq 1$  for  $|z| = 1$  and  $W(0) = 0$ . Thus the function  $1 + t_0W(z)$  is subordinate to the function  $1 + t_0z$  for  $|z| \leq 1$ . By a well known property of subordination [10, P.422], we have for each  $r > 0$ ,

$$\int_0^{2\pi} |1 + t_0W(e^{i\theta})|^q d\theta \leq \int_0^{2\pi} |1 + t_0e^{i\theta}|^q d\theta. \quad (57)$$

Now,

$$n|Q(z)| = |1 + t_0W(z)||P'(z)|. \quad (58)$$

Since  $|P(z)| = |Q(z)|$  for  $|z| = 1$ , therefore from (58) we get

$$|P'(z)| = \frac{n|Q(z)|}{|1 + t_0W(z)|} \quad \text{for } |z| = 1. \quad (59)$$

From (55),(57) and (59), we deduce that for each  $r > 0$ ,

$$n^r(|\alpha| - t_0)^r \left\{ \int_0^{2\pi} |P(e^{i\theta})|^r d\theta \right\} \leq \left\{ \int_0^{2\pi} |1 + t_0e^{i\theta}|^r \int_0^{2\pi} |D_\alpha P(e^{i\theta})|^r d\theta \right\}. \quad (60)$$

Now applying Holder's inequality for  $p > 1$ ,  $q > 1$  with  $1/p + 1/q = 1$ , we get

$$n(|\alpha| - t_0) \left\{ \int_0^{2\pi} |P(e^{i\theta})|^r d\theta \right\}^{\frac{1}{r}} \leq \left\{ \int_0^{2\pi} |1 + t_0e^{i\theta}|^{pr} d\theta \right\}^{\frac{1}{pr}} \left\{ \int_0^{2\pi} |D_\alpha P(e^{i\theta})|^{qr} d\theta \right\}^{\frac{1}{qr}} \quad (61)$$

and this completes the proof of inequality (22).

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